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Enclosed is our check in the amount of \$430.00 in payment of the government filing fee for the enclosed United States patent application, which application includes 14 pages of specification, 25 claims on 6 sheets, 1 page Abstract of the Disclosure and 13 Figures on 4 Drawing sheets. A Utility Patent Application Transmittal and Fee Transmittal Form PTO/SB/17 (11/00) together with the filing fee are also enclosed. The Declaration and Power of Attorney is also included with the application.

Applicant is a small entity within the meaning of 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27 and hereby claims small entity status. The application has Federal Funding No. NASA NAG8-1672.

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